

NOVEMBER 2022 GRANTS

NAME	PROJECT TITLE	FUNDING PURPOSE	GRANT AMOUNT	TERM (MONTHS)
Alcohol and Drug Foundation Incorporated	Protecting young people from alcohol related harm	This project will develop and deliver information and education to parents about alcohol risks to young people, reducing the number of parents providing alcohol to children, particularly in the home.	\$135,000	22
The Centre for Excellence in Child and Family Welfare	Kinship Care Network	Increase capacity to build on the model foundations with purpose- dedicated funding to deliver multi-year workplan with deliberate policy, engagement and co-design, profiling voices of lived experience in Out-of-home Care.	\$212,870	24
Cultivating Community Inc	Hear Me. See Me. Employ Me.	Increase the pathway for young CALD groups (including deaf) info food systems based employment.	\$300,000	36
FareShare	Inspiring and Empowering Young Lives through Cooking Nutritious Meals for Victorians in Hardship	To engage, inspire, empower and develop young people through cooking free, nutritious meals for people in hardships.	\$60,000	7
FareShare	Expanding and modernising FareShare's Melbourne charity kitchen	To tackle the unmet need for our meals, FareShare is modernising and expanding its Abbotsford facility.	\$90,000	12
Footscray Community Arts	Tarnuk-ut baany	Fostering culturally safe leadership and impact through Tarnuk-ut baany: an innovative cultural leadership program driving social change by providing First Nations pathways in community and the creative industries.	\$140,000	24
Lighthouse Foundation	Lighthouse Kinship Resilience Project	To double our Foster Care program with an extension into Kinship Care and the purchase of a permanent home to be a second Hub Home.	\$750,000	36

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MacKillop Family Services	Cultural Leadership in out-of-home care	MacKillop will draw on the knowledge of its culturally diverse staff and clients to develop a best practice model of working with migrant/refugee children living in out-of-home care (OOHC).	\$100,000	24
Mornington Peninsula Foundation	0 - 3 years: A Chance in Every Lifetime	Understanding drivers of parent decision making to increase the relevance and accessibility of early childhood support.	\$50,000	12
Murdoch Children's Research Institute	Researchers in Residence: building capacity in community health services to improve the health and wellbeing of young children and families	To improve child and family wellbeing by embedding Researchers in Residence in Community Health Services to ensure better detection and response to family adversities.	\$318,609	36
The National Foundation for Medical Research and Innovation	Investigating childhood and youth disease	To establish a pilot program to jointly fund a research program investigating childhood and youth diseases.	\$500,000	24
Sail & Adventure Limited	Restoring the Alma Doepel	To employ a professional shipwright for a period of six months to complete restoration work and return Alma Doepel to youth development training.	\$72,900	6
Smiling Mind	Digital learning to support child mental health and wellbeing	To implement a digital learning approach to support children aged 5-12 nationally to develop essential social and emotional skills.	\$450,000	36
<u>St Kilda Mums Inc</u>	People Power - Testing new ways to encourage, engage and empower rural communities	Piloting partnership hubs in the rural Cities of Ararat and Horsham.	\$120,000	12
<u>The University of</u> <u>Melbourne</u>	Strengthening service system responses to family violence affecting children from immigrant and refugee backgrounds	This program of research aims to provide the evidence needed to strengthen service system responses to family violence affecting children from immigrant and refugee backgrounds.	\$299,963	36
Very Special Kids	Adolescent Sibling Camp	When children or young people endure life-threatening illnesses, their siblings also face significant challenges. Our camps are designed to help adolescent siblings by providing immediate and sustainable therapeutic support.	\$22,000	6

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Women's Property Initiatives Ltd	Homes to Help	To provide career pathways for disadvantaged youth through construction training programs that will result in the construction of high quality affordable homes for women and children escaping family violence.	\$100,000	12
Zoe Support Australia	Engaging Young Families	Delivering life-changing services to vulnerable young mothers aged 13-25 and their children in the Mildura community, increasing participation in social programs, childcare, higher education and employment.	\$234,013	36